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### Partido Popular Progressista

1. Although the PCB has considerably slackened its activity regarding the registration of the Partido Popular Progressista (Popular Progressive Party) (PPF), in order that the connection between these two parties may be forgotten, in July the former was still conducting a campaign to raise funds for the latter. Every group of organized militants was to raise between Cr\$400 and Cr\$500 (about \$20 and \$25 US), or approximately Cr\$100 (about \$5 US) per militant.
2. One of the groups within the Federal District organized a raffle of two pairs of shoes, although lotteries and raffles are forbidden by law. An attempt was made to publicize this raffle, and at the same time blame the United States for unemployment in the shoe industry of Brazil. Actual publication of this matter in the newspaper was withheld in view of the law against raffles.

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### Communists in Parana

3. [REDACTED] the Communists in Parana are planning to organize a new party, which will include all members of the Partido Comunista Brasileiro (PCB), as well as malcontents from other parties. Following the formation of this new organization, special agitators are to be sent into the area to prepare strikes and demonstrations. If expected results are not produced, the Communists allegedly plan an open break in the form of a revolution. [REDACTED] Sao Paulo Communists have already been sending arms and ammunition from Santos to all southern states of Brazil. The Public Security Police, cognizant of these preparations, believe they can handle the situation unless the revolution should occur at the same time as a foreign war.

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